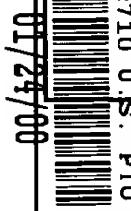


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Transmitted herewith for filing under 35 U.S.C. 111(a) and 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) is a new utility patent application for an invention entitled:

**SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR INTERCONNECTING COMPONENTS THAT EMPLOY EITHER COMPOSITE OR S-VIDEO SIGNALS**

and invented by:

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1.  Filing fee as calculated and transmitted as described below
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  - a.  Descriptive Title of the Invention
  - b.  Cross References to Related Applications (if applicable)
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  - e.  Background of the Invention
  - f.  Brief Summary of the Invention
  - g.  Brief Description of the Drawings (if drawings filed)
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  - i.  Claim(s) as Classified Below
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Signed statement attached deleting inventor(s) named in the prior application, see 37 C.F.R. 1.63(d)(2) and 1.33(b).
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## Accompanying Application Parts

8.  Assignment Papers (cover sheet & document(s))
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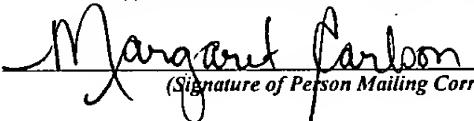
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